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I care naught for personal publicity.

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You say I did this so that everyone could benefit, which is true. But you then misidentify the document itself, calling it by a contraction of the book's subtitle. So, should any of your readers have wanted to spend much more than the cost of the book to get a copy of the transcript from the government, you made that impossible, too.

Yet in your card you complain that "No one will take time to talk." Should I again?

Especially when you either don't take time to read or are unable to comprehend.

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